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Per our earlier conversation, please find attached the stamped postcard from the U.S. Patent Office indicating that the response was received on December 1, 2003. Also attached is a copy of our response as filed on November 26, 2002. Please call me if you need anything further to continue prosecution in this case.

Sincerely,  
Christopher J. Reckamp